

# Where to find us



Corner of Park Avenue and Alexandria Parade  
Waitara NSW 2077

-  waitarachurch.org.au
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-  Waitara Seventh-day Adventist Church

## Connect Corner

If we can help you, please let us know. Feel free to tear this slip off and place it in the offering bag or hand it to the pastor or elder.

- ☐ I would like special prayer
- ☐ I would like to have a pastoral visit
- ☐ I would like Bible studies
- ☐ I would like to follow Jesus in baptism

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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# Meet our team



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## Welcome to Waitara

We extend a warm welcome to you on this beautiful Sabbath morning. If you are visiting us for the first time, we pray that your time with us will be blessed as we worship together. Feel free to visit us again.

- 9:20am | Sabbath School
- 10:00am | Bible Study
- 11:00am | Divine Service

# Program 14 January 2023

## SABBATH SCHOOL

Song Service	Remy Leimena
Welcome	Joy Carey
Prayer	Tsitsi Muchechesi
SS Feature	East Central Africa division
Offering & Hymn #	358 - Far and near the fields...
Combined Bible study	Integrity Mucheshesi

## DIVINE SERVICE

Announcements	Joy Carey
Song Service	Remy Leimena
Welcome	Joy Carey
Hymn of Praise	86 - How Great Thou Art
Children's Story	Carina Slame
Offering	Local Church Budget
Invocation	"Now Dear Lord as we Pray"
Corporate Prayer	Mildred Zuze
Scripture Reading	1 John 4:7-11 Alex Almada
Message & Benediction	"Only Love, Begets Love" Pr Barend Nieuwstraten
Hymn of Dedication #	154 - When I Survey The Wondrous...
Conclusion & Benediction Hymn	Joy Carey

# What's Happening

### Our Church family

- Congratulations to new grandparents, Gayl & David Fong and new aunty, Marleta at the birth of Baby Torossian. Charissa & Justin welcomed the birth of their beautiful baby boy on 4/1/23.
- Sincere condolences to Yvette Bettini's family at the loss of her mum, Irma. Our hearts ache with you Yvette, Stasi, Andy & Amadeo. Our prayers and thoughts are with you as you prepare for your mum's funeral at Avondale Cemetery on 25/1/23 at 1:00 pm.
- Also, our condolences to the Ashbolt family at the news shared by Jennifer Keighley that her brother, Chris Ashbolt suddenly passed away. We remember Chris who used to worship here in Waitara.

### Church ministries appealing for your help please

- Church lunches are back on! The Hospitality team would very much like to welcome more groups to revive this ministry. Please see/ring Tsitsi Muchechesi on 0401 748 251.
- Storytelling gives children an avenue to appreciate their Heavenly Father and what He has done for them. Please see/ ring Carina Slame on 0404 144 145 to join this important ministry for our children.

### Adventist Youth for Christ (AYC)

- **Where:** Melbourne
- **When:** 26 – 29 January 2023
- **Topic:** "Called by Name – Isaiah 43:1"
- **Speakers:** Doug Batchelor, Sebastien Braxton, Sukeshinie Goonatilleke, Joshua Gonzalez, and many more
- **Registration:** [www.ayc.life](http://www.ayc.life)

### SS Class Facilitators

We still have a few Facilitator's Lesson pamphlets available. Please claim your copy from either Shena Prineas or Joy Carey.

**Reminder that permission must first be obtained** from the Ministerial team before distributing to members or leaving any brochures/pamphlets in the church foyer.

## Our Mission

To make disciples by loving God, loving one another and loving to reach the community of Waitara.

## Our Vision

To grow faithful disciples who share the everlasting gospel.

**Combined Lesson.** As the church goes into recess, the following will be taking care of the combined lesson studies:

- 21 January – Daniel Vokurka
- 28 January – Dr. David Pennington

**Sabbath morning prayer time between 8:45 - 9:15am.**

**Prayer focus:** Waitara Church Ministries;

**Venue:** Teen SS Room if joining In-Person or if joining online via Zoom

**Link:** Meeting ID: 959 5792 9851; Passcode: In WhatsApp

**Wednesday Mid-Week Prayer Meeting** starts with Devotional & Prayer time between 7:30 - 8:00pm to the end of January 2023. Online Zoom link: Meeting ID: 959 5792 9851; Passcode: In WhatsApp

**10 Days of Prayer Notice.** For Waitara Church, our 10 Days of Prayer has been set to be held 18 - 27 February 2023. You may, however, elect to join and participate **NOW** with our global family at 24/7 United Prayer: <https://247unitedprayer.org> (this is a united prayer ministry happening online 24 hours a day. Multiple languages are available). **Link to download material:** <https://bit.ly/3vC1Egw>

**3ABN Interview Programs.** Every Sunday at 7pm (repeats Tue 7pm & Wed 9am). Guests for **January** are:

- **15th** - Dr Hans Diehl (testimony);
- **22nd** - Dr Jacob Prabhakar (testimony);
- **29th** - John & Rosemary Malkiewicz (3ABN Australia Stories Pt 3)

Also available online at [www.3abnaustralia.org.au](http://www.3abnaustralia.org.au), [3abnplus.tv](http://3abnplus.tv), or on the free 3ABN+ phone app.

## Message blurb

*Until we learn how to love, we will never know, how to explain...*

### Offerings next week

Divine Service  
Sabbath School

SPD: Adventist Youth Discipleship  
Mission Offering

### Sunset Times:

Tonight  
Next Friday

8:08pm  
8:08pm

## Prayer Requests

### Email

[prayer.ministry@waitarachurch.org.au](mailto:prayer.ministry@waitarachurch.org.au)

### WhatsApp Us

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### Text Us

0409 234 235

### Write Us

Use blue prayer cards in foyer and place in Prayer Box